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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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# STATE OF UTAH DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION of OIL, GAS and MINING

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### **RECLAMATION CONTRACT**

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For the purpose of this RECLAMATION CONTRACT the terms below are defined as

follows: "NOTICE OF INTENTION" (NOI): (File No.) m 043 019 (Mineral Mined) SANDSTONE "MINE LOCATION": BROWNS CAMYON MINE (Name of Mine) APPROX. 2 MINES WEST OF PEDA, UT (Description) SUMMIT COUNTY, UT "DISTURBED AREA": 26 Acres (Disturbed Acres) (refer to Attachment "A") (Legal Description) "OPERATOR": (Company or Name) MOUNTAIN VALLY STONE, INC. (Address) PO BOX 985 KEBER CITY UT 84032 (Phone) 435 654 0120

| "OPERATOR'S REGISTERED AGENT":<br>Name)<br>(Address)                        | STEVE BENNETT - ATTORNEY 3865 S. WASATCH BLUD #300                           |
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| (Phone)   | SAUT LAKE CITY UT 84109<br>801-272-5600                                      |
| "OPERATOR'S OFFICER(S)":  | PANN BALLY, VICE PRESIDENT   |
| SURETY":<br>(Form of Surety - Attachment B)                                 | LETTER OF CREDIT   |
| "SURETY COMPANY":<br>(Name, Policy or Acct. No.)                            | KEYBANK MATIONAL ASSOCIATION   |
| "SURETY AMOUNT":<br>(Escalated Dollars)                                     | # 79,000 USO   |
| "ESCALATION YEAR":  | 2007   |
| "STATE":<br>"DIVISION":<br>"BOARD":   | State of Utah  Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  Board of Oil, Gas and Mining |
| ATTACHMENTS: A "DISTURBED AREA": B "SURETY":                                |  |
| This Reclamation Contract (hereinafter rebetween MOUNTHN VALLEY STONE, INC. |  |

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining ("Division").

WHEREAS, Operator desires to conduct mining operations under Notice of Intention (NOI) File No. M 043 019 which has been approved by the Utah State Division of Oil, Gas and Mining under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act, Sections 40-8-1 et seq., Utah Code Annotated, (1953, as amended) (hereinafter referred to as "Act") and implementing rules; and

WHEREAS, Operator is obligated to reclaim that area described as the Disturbed Area as set forth and in accordance with Operator's approved Reclamation Plan, and Operator is obligated to provide surety in form and amount approved by the Division, to assure reclamation of the Disturbed Area.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Division and the Operator agree as follows:

| 1. | Operator agr | ees to co | nduct<br>ment | t reclamation<br>ing regulat | on of the Disturbed Area in accordance ions, the original Notice of Intention |
|----|--------------|-----------|---------------|------------------------------|---|
|    | dated        | JUL       | 1 29          | ,2002                        | , and the original Reclamation  |
|    | Plan dated_  | JULY      | 29            | 2002                         | . The Notice of Intention   |
|    | as amended   | , and the | Recla         | amation Pla                  | an, as amended, are incorporated by this                                      |
|    | reference an | d made a  | part          | hereof.                      | •   |

- 2. Concurrent with the execution hereof, Operator has provided surety to assure that reclamation is conducted, in form and amount acceptable to the Division. Such surety as evidenced by the Surety Contract is in the form of the surety attached hereto as Attachment B and made a part hereof. The Surety Contract shall remain in full force and effect according to its terms unless modified by the Division in writing. If the Surety Contract expressly provides for cancellation, then, within 60 days following the Division's receipt of notice that the Surety Company intends to cancel the Surety Contract, the Operator shall provide a replacement Surety Contract in a form and amount reasonably acceptable to the Division. If the Operator fails to provide an acceptable replacement Surety Contract, the Division may order the Operator to cease further mining activities and to begin immediate reclamation of the Disturbed Area.
- 3. Operator agrees to pay legally determined public liability and property damage claims resulting from mining to the extent provided in Section 40-8-7(1)(e) of the Act.
- 4. Operator agrees to perform all duties and fulfill all reclamation requirements applicable to the mine as required by the Act and implementing rules, the Notice of Intention, as amended and the Reclamation Plan, as amended.
- 5. The Operator's liability under this Contract shall continue in full force and effect until the Division certifies that the Operator has reclaimed the Disturbed Area in accordance with the Act and implementing rules, the Notice of Intention, as amended and the Reclamation Plan, as amended.
- 6. If reclamation of discrete sections of the Disturbed Area is completed to the satisfaction of the Division, and the Division finds that such sections are severable from the remainder of the Disturbed Area, Operator may request the Division to certify that Operator has reclaimed such discrete sections of the Disturbed Area in accordance with the Act and Implementing rules, the Notice of Intention, as amended and the Reclamation Plan, as amended. If the Division makes such certification, Operator may make request to the Division that the aggregate face amount of the Surety Contract provided pursuant to paragraph 2 be reduced to an amount necessary to provide for completion of the remaining reclamation. The Division shall hear Operator's request for such reduction in accordance with the Board's Procedural Rules concerning requests for Agency Action.

- 7. Operator agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the State, Board and the Division from any claim, demand, liability, cost, charge, suit, or obligation of whatsoever nature arising from the failure of Operator or Operator's agents and employees, or contractors to comply with this Contract.
- 8. Operator may, at any time, submit a request to the Division to substitute surety. The Division may approve such substitution if the substitute surety meets the requirements of the Act and the implementing rules.
- 9. This Contract shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Utah.
- 10. If Operator shall default in the performance of its obligations hereunder, Operator agrees to pay all costs and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees and costs incurred by the Division and/or the Board in the enforcement of this Contract.
- 11. Any breach that the Division finds to be material of the provisions of this Contract by Operator may, at the discretion of the Division, result in an order to cease mining operations. After opportunity for notice and hearing, the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining may enter an order to revoke the Notice of Intention, order reclamation, or order forfeiture of the Surety Contract, or take such other action as is authorized by law.
- 12. In the event of forfeiture of the Surety Contract, Operator shall be liable for any additional costs in excess of the surety amount which are required to comply with this Contract. Any excess monies resulting from forfeiture of the Surety Contract, upon completion of reclamation and compliance with this Contract, shall be returned to the rightful claimant.
- 13. This Contract including the Notice of Intention, as amended and the Reclamation Plan, as amended, represents the entire agreement of the parties involved, and any modification must be approved in writing by the parties involved.
- 14. Each signatory below represents that he/she is authorized to execute this Contract on behalf of the named party.

**OPERATOR:** MOUNTAIN Operator Name Authorized Officer (Typed or Printed) **Authorized Officer - Position** 102102 Officer's Signature STATE OF ) ss: COUNTY OF WASATTH On the <u>L1</u> day of <u>Utaber</u>, 2002, Kober personally appeared before me, who being by me duly sworn did say that he/she is the 1803 Ident of Mountain Valley Stone Inc. and duly acknowledged that said instrument was signed on behalf of said company by authority of its bylaws or a resolution of its board of directors and said Kobert John Hicken \_\_\_\_duly acknowledged to me that said company executed the same. Notary Public Residing at Notary Public
NATALIE L. HENNING
at South Main Street

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

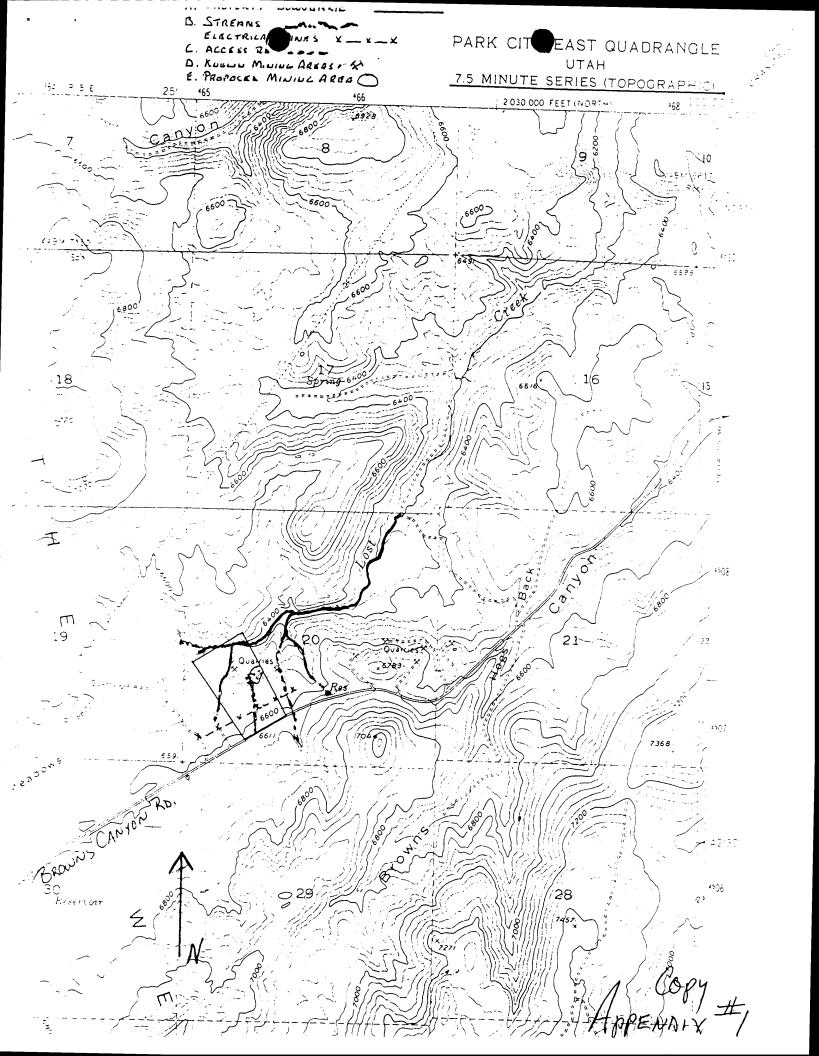
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING: December 18, 2002 STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY OF Salt Lake ) ss: On the 18 day of <u>Wessikir</u>, 2002, <u>Mary How Wright</u> personally appeared before me, who being duly sworn did say that she, the said I Mary How Wright is the Associate Director of the Division of Oil, Gas and Miding, Department of Natural Resources, State of Utah, and she duly acknowledged to me that she executed the foregoing document by authority of law on behalf of the State of Utah. Notary Public Residing at: JOELLE BURNS NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF UTAN 1594 W. N. Temple, #1210 Salt Lake City, UT 841

My Comm. Exp. 4-4-2005

### **ATTACHMENT "A"**

| MOUNTAIN VAUCY STUNGING  | V. <u>Browns</u><br>Mine Name                                   | CANYON MINE                |
|--|---|----------------------------|
| <u>M 043 019</u><br>Permit Number  | SUMMIT  | County, Utah               |
| Include 1/4, 1/4, 1/4 sections, townships, ranges and any other disturbed lands are located. Attach a topographic map of suit or larger scale is preferred) showing township, range and section boundaries tied to this Reclamation Contract and surety. | er descriptions that will legal<br>table scale (max. 1 inch = 5 | 00 feet; 1 inch = 200 feet |
| The detailed legal description of lands to   | be disturbed include  | es portions of the         |
| following lands not to exceed  | _ acres under the ap  | proved permit and          |
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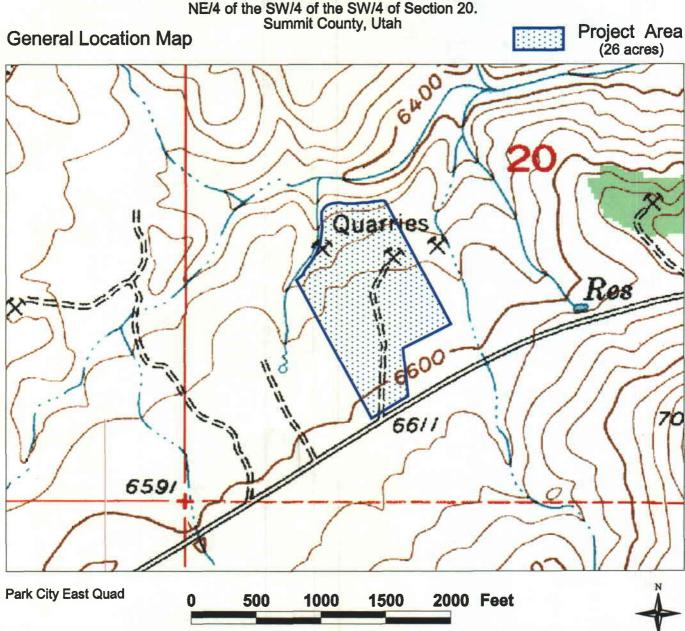
W1/2 NE1/4 SW1/4 and E1/2 NW1/4 SW1/4 and NW1/4 SE1/4 SW1/4 and NE1/4 SW1/4 SW1/4 Section 20, Township 1 South, Range 5 East Summit County, Utah



## Mountain Valley Stone, Inc. Brown's Canyon Mine M/043/019

### Legal Description:

Township 1 South, Range 5 East, SLBM W/2 of the NE/4 of the SW/4, E/2 of the NW/4 of the SW/4, NW/4 of the SE/4 of the SW/4 and the NE/4 of the SW/4 of Section 20. Summit County, Utah



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A KeyCorp Bank

KEYBANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION 4910 TIEDEMAN ROAD OH-01-51-0435

CLEVELAND, OHIO 44144-2338 U.S.A.

DATE: July 26, 2002

FAX:

SWIFT: KEYBUS33LCC TELEX: 212525 SNB UR

PHONE: (216) 813-3701

(216) 813-3719

Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit No. (

Beneficiary: Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1594 West North Temple Suite 1210 Box 145801 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Applicant: Mountain Valley Stone, Inc. 2276 South Daniels Road Heber City, Utah 84032

AMOUNT: 75,000.00

EXPIRY: July 26, 2003

#### Gentlemen and Ladies:

- KeyBank National Association ("Bank") of Cleveland, Ohio, hereby establishes this 1. Irrevocable Letter of Credit (the "Letter of Credit") in favor of the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining ("Division") for an aggregate amount not to exceed \$75,000.00 (Seventy five thousand and 00/100 United States dollars) effective immediately.
- This Letter of Credit will expire upon the first event set forth as follows: (a) 5:00 2. o'clock p.m. (Cleveland, Ohio time) on July 26, 2003 (expiry date) or (b) the date upon which sufficient documents are executed by the Division to release Mt. Valley Stone("Operator") from further liability for reclamation of the Browns Canyon Mine, M-043019 with notice to the Bank by the Division accompanied by the original Letter of Credit with directions for cancellation.
- This Letter of Credit will be automatically extended without amendment for successive 3. periods of one year from the current or any future expiration date unless the Bank gives notice to the Division at least 90 days prior to the expiration date by courier that the Bank elects not to renew the Letter of Credit.
- Funds under the Letter of Credit are available against the Division's sight draft, in the 4. delivered to the office of the form of Exhibit A, specifying Letter of Credit No. KeyBank National Association, 4910 Tiedeman Road, Urr-01-51-0435, Cleveland, Ohio 44144-2338. At the Division's sole election the Division may present sight drafts for less than the Face Amount so long as the aggregate amount of all sight drafts does not exceed the Face Amount. Each draft must be accompanied by a certificate in the form of Exhibit B, signed by a duly authorized representative of the Division, and the original of this letter of credit.

Authorized Signature



A KeyCorp Bank

KEYBANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
4910 TIEDEMAN ROAD
SWIFT: KEYBUS33LCC
TELEX: 212525 SNB UR
FAX: (216) 813-3719
PHONE: (216) 813-3701

- 5. If the Bank receives the Division's sight draft(s) and certificate(s) as provided in Paragraph No. 4 above on or before the expiration or termination of this Letter of Credit, the Bank will make such amount as the Division may specify, within the limits of the second sentence of Paragraph No. 4 of this Letter of Credit available to the Division no later than the close of business, Cleveland, Ohio time, on the second business day following the Bank's receipt of the sight draft and certificate and in such a manner as the Division may specify.
- 6. The Letter of Credit will be governed by the laws of the State of Utah and shall be subject to the Uniform Customs and Practice for Documentary Credit, 1993 revision, International Chamber of Commerce Publication No. 500, as the same may be amended and in effect from time to time ("UCP"). In the event of a conflict between Utah law and the UCP, Utah law shall govern.
- 7. All communications regarding this Letter of Credit will be addressed to KeyBank National Association, 4910 Tiedeman Road, OH-01-51-0435, Cleveland, Ohio 44144-2338, referencing Letter of Credit No. ■

Authorized Signature

Authorized Signature



KEYBANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT PROCESSING AND SERVICE CENTER 4910 TIEDEMAN ROAD CLEVELAND, DHIO 44144-2338 MAIL CODE: CH-01-51-0435 TEL NO: 216-813-3701

JULY 26, 2002

EXHIBIT A-SIGHT DRAFT TO LETTER OF CREDIT NUMBER 4

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TEL NO: 216-813-3701

JULY 26, 2002

EXHIBIT B
TO
LETTER OF CREDIT NUMBER (\_\_\_\_\_\_

| I,                            | A DULY AUTHORIZED                   |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UTAH DI | YISION OF DIL, GAS AND MINING,      |
| HEREBY CERTIFY THAT (1) THE D | RAWING IN THE AMOUNT OF             |
| \$, BY SIGHT DRAF             | T ACCOMPANYING THIS CERTIFICATE,    |
| UNDER LETTER OF CREDIT NO.    | § DATED JULY 2€, 2002               |
| ISSUED BY YOU IS PERMITTED UN | IDER THE PROVISION OF THE LETTER    |
| OF CREDIT, (2) THE LETTER OF  | CREDIT HAS NEITHER EXPIRED NOR      |
| TERMINATED PURSUANT TO ITS TE | ERMS, (3) THE AMOUNT OF THE SIGHT   |
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| INCLUDING ATTORNEYS FEES, FOR | R THE BROWNS CANYON MINE, M-043019. |
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THE UTAH DIVISION OF DIL, GAS AND MINING

AUTHORIZED SIGNER
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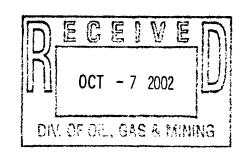
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FAX NO: 216-813-3719



OCTOBER 04, 2002

BENEFICIARY:
UTAH DIVISION OF OIL, GAS
AND MINING
1594 WEST NORTH TEMPLE SUITE 1210
BOX 145801
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH 84114-5801

APPLICANT:
MOUNTAIN VALLEY STONE, INC.
P.O. BOX 985
HEBER CITY, UT 84032

WE HEREBY AMEND OUR IRREVOCABLE STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT NUMBER

• AS FOLLOWS:

AMENDMENT SEQUENCE NUMBER: 001

- 1.) LETTER OF CREDIT AMOUNT IS INCREASED BY USD \$4,000.00 CREDIT AMOUNT AFTER AMENDMENT: 79,000.00 UNITED STATES DOLLARS
- 2.) APPLICANT'S ADDRESS IS AMENDED TO READ AS:

P.O. BOX 985 HEBER CITY, UT 84032

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED. THIS AMENDMENT IS TO BE CONSIDERED AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE LETTER OF CREDIT AND MUST BE ATTACHED THERETO.

KEYBANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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